

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed on July 20, 2005, claims 1-40 were pending and subjected to a restriction requirement. The Examiner is requiring restriction to one of the following inventions:

(1) Group I- claims 1-30 drawn to a method of cleaning a photoactive or hydrophilic surface;

(2) Group II- claims 31-35 drawn to a device having a housing, a first chamber, etc.; and

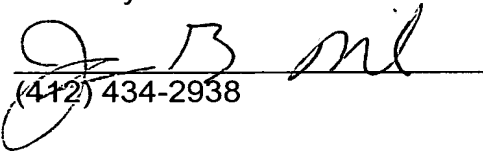
(3) Group III- claims 36-40 drawn to a cleaning solution.

Applicants respectfully elect to prosecute Group I (claims 1-30) at the present time with traverse. The traversal is based on the fact examining all of the alleged inventions in a single application will not create a serious burden on the USPTO.

If any questions remain about this application, the Examiner is requested to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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